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Morship Service

Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: James 4:7-10

Prayer of Invocation

*Praise Through Song

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Mt. Pleasant Kids' Choir Christmas Program

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

*Hymn #194 *"Joy to the World!"* **9am Service Only: The children will proceed to Children & Worship during the hymn.

Scripture: Luke:1-3

Sermon *"Christmas in Luke"* Pastor Rich Herbster

*Hymn #191 "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing"

*Benediction and Recessional

*Congregation will stand **9am Service Only—Children from ages 3 to 2nd grade are welcome to attend Children & Worship. 9am and 11am Services—A nursery is available for children under the age of 3.

Innouncements

MASKS & SOCIAL DISTANCING:

As COVID cases rise in our community, we ask that you wear a mask and practice social distancing as you worship with us. Please be conscious of others, sit every other pew (as marked) and refrain from hugging. Let's love our neighbors well and pray we can go back to normal soon!

KIDS' CLUB:

Kids' Club is in need of volunteers to serve in the ministry next year. With the current status of COVID we are uncertain of when the program will start, but with high hopes we want to be ready. Kids' Club is for children ages 4-4th grade and consists of Bible lessons, music, games, crafts, and snacks. It will now be held on Saturday mornings. If you have any interest in joining us or would like more information, please contact Holly Garland at 412-853-3591 or <u>hlgarland1@hotmail.com</u>.

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE TIMES & STREAMING:

There is enough interest to stay with the plan for three Christmas Eve services this year. Service times will be: 3:00pm, 4:30pm and 6:00pm. **The 4:30pm service will be streamed online.**

CHRISTMAS COOKIE TRAYS:

The Mission Team is making our traditional Christmas Cookie Trays. We are inviting you to join us in baking and buying some cookies. Signup sheets for both baking and purchasing are located in the narthex. Please bring your cookie donations to the church on Sunday, December 20. The trays will be available for pickup on Monday, December 21. You can pre-order your trays on a first-come/first-served basis. Or you can purchase a tray after pre-orders are filled. The cost is \$25 per tray and is due no later than the time of pick up. Thank you.



Presented by: Mt. Pleasant Kids' Choir

Mary...Allie Bruce

Joseph...Matt Stiteler

Angel...Gracie Bruce

Little Angels...Analeigh Reed & Tatum Reed

Shepherds...Emma DeLong Olivia DeLong Colton Michel

Wisemen...Bennie Pierce Harrison Smeltz Solomon Smeltz

Kids listening to story...Darla Stiteler Morgan Michel Lia Miller

Kids' Choir Director...Pat Lampe

*Prayer List

Alice Allison Nick Allison Hope Bingham Charlotte Rose Mary Davy Vikki Dalton **Cindy Daniels** Sondra Lee Dull **Rachel Ellis** Joann Estel Pat Gray Sue Hollein **Dorothy Homenick** Jamie Hysong

Pat Lampe Mark Leonard Josh & Kristy Luther Rudy Mamula Len Maharowski Mark Mayhue **Deb McDonald** Jason McMunn **Claire Mountain** Mrs. Notaro **Gerry Pierce** Mike Pierce **Rick Pierce Rosalie Roguish**

Marianne Rosetti Tom Rzodkiewicz Dan Schmidt Ursula Shaffer James Smith Larry Smith Jason Stickley Shaina Swiontek Carter Dalton Wagaman **Diana Winters** Art White Sam Yousem **Rick Zelazny**

Bereavement: Kathy Kaught/Karen Herman Family, Evelyn Geary Family, Curtis Morris Family **Praise:** Nate & Michelle Marksteiner, Honduras partner team **God's Care and Guidance:** Church Family & Community Weekly Mission Focus: Ethnos 360 **Special Prayer Focus:** Corona Virus, Social Unrest, Gov't. & Leaders

"...pray for each other..." Games 5:16

Keep them in your thoughts by sending a card...

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TITHING REPORT

	GIVING	NEEDED	DIFFERENCE
LAST WEEK	\$7,542	\$7,640	-\$98
YTD	\$369,192	\$382,000	-\$12,808

BUILDING FUND

	GIVING	TOTAL	3-YEAR PLEDGE
LAST WEEK	\$525	\$721,253	\$712,859